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INTERFACES AND UNITS, WRAPPING  
INTERFACES, HANDLING UNDOCUMENTED  
INTERFACES, AND DETECTING PAIR-WISE  
LOCATION CONSTRAINTS

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2. Additional claim fees of \$ 102, including any multiple dependent claim fees, are required.

\$ 134 for 3 independent claims over 3.

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is missing or unexecuted.

does not cover the newly submitted items.

does not identify the application to which it applies.

does not include the city and state or foreign country of applicant's residence.

An oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, including residence information and identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date is required.

4. The signature(s) to the oath or declaration is/are by a person other than inventor or person qualified under 37 CFR 1.42, 1.43 or 1.47.

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John Hunt

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